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## EMBASSY OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA PUBLIC AFFAIRS SECTION

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## **Applications for Fulbright Scholarships**

The U.S. Embassy is pleased to announce a number of scholarships available under the Fulbright Program to nationals of Trinidad and Tobago. The Fulbright Program is the U.S. government's premier international educational exchange program. Detailed information on these scholarships including application instructions can be found on the U.S. Embassy's website: <a href="mailto:trinidad.usembassy.gov">trinidad.usembassy.gov</a>

Persons who possess excellent academic records are invited to apply; however, U.S. citizens, holders of a U.S. legal permanent residency ("Green Card") or persons with extensive study experience in the U.S are not eligible.

The Embassy is currently accepting applications for the following scholarships:

## Fulbright Regional Network for Applied Research (NEXUS) Program -

This program will link faculty, applied researchers and public policy professionals across the Western Hemisphere through international exchanges and seminars, allowing grantees to spend up to one year engaged in collaborative thinking, analysis, problem-solving and multi-disciplinary research in one of three inter-related areas: science, technology and innovation; entrepreneurship; and sustainable energy.

Deadline – May 31, 2012

**Faculty Development Program** – For graduate study for faculty of tertiary-level institutions with at least two years of teaching experience. Nomination by applicant's university. **Deadline - June 15. 2012** 

The Foreign Student Program - For graduate study in the Social Sciences and Humanities. **Deadline** – **June 15, 2012** 

**Hubert H. Humphrey Program** – A non-degree program geared towards professional development. Fellows are recruited from both the public and private sectors. At least five-years working experience and a first degree are necessary. **Deadline: August 15, 2012** 

For further information interested persons are asked to send an e-mail to: gregoirej@state.gov